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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Attorney Docket No.: 003744-02 Examiner: Michael E. LaVilla Filing Date: January 15, 2002 Serial No.: 10/045,054 PARTICULATE METAL ALLOY COATING FOR Group Art Unit: 1775 Invention: PROVIDING CORROSION PROTECTION To the Commissioner for Patents: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fees have been calculated as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Additional No. of Extra Rate Highest Number Claims Claims Rate remaining Previously Paid For Present after amendment \$ 0 X **Total Claims** Minus 71 9 0 \$ 0.00 X 86 Indep. Claims 6 Minus 10 No additional claim fees are required. Attached is a check in the amount of \$ 0.00. Please charge Deposit Account No 06-0308 in the amount of \$ ____. Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and request a ___ ___ to respond to the extension of time up to and including at least outstanding Office Action. Fees in the amount of \$ are included in our attached check. Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and request any additional extensions of time that may be necessary and authorize the extension of time fees to be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0308. X Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308. Respectfully submitted, FAY, SHARPE, FAGAN, MINNION & MCKEE, LLP Date: 1901 5, 2004 Richard J. Minnich, Reg. No. 24,175 Mark E. Bandy, Reg. No. 35,788 1100 Superior Avenue, 7th Floor Cleveland, Ohio 44114-2579

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Response

Mail Stop Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 14, 2004.

Please amend the application as follows.

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